



“Livable Montgomery”

Attitudes, Programs and

Partnerships for

a Community of Choice !

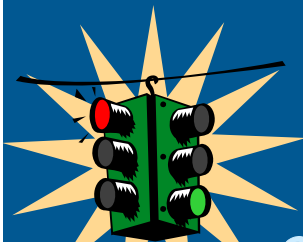
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Department of Health and Human Services

Productive Aging

A philosophy of aging that views older adults as:

- An opportunity rather than a crisis
- A solution rather than a problem
- An asset rather than a burden
- A resource rather than a drain on resources; and
- A group that can make social, economic, cultural and spiritual contributions rather than simply an expanding portion of the population.

VITAL AGING MONTGOMERY



TRANSPORTATION



EMPLOYMENT



HOUSING

WELLNESS



VOLUNTEERISM



ECONOMIC SECURITY



ACTIVE ENGAGEMENT



LIFE LONG LEARNING

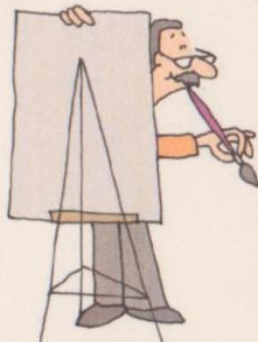


Living & Thriving



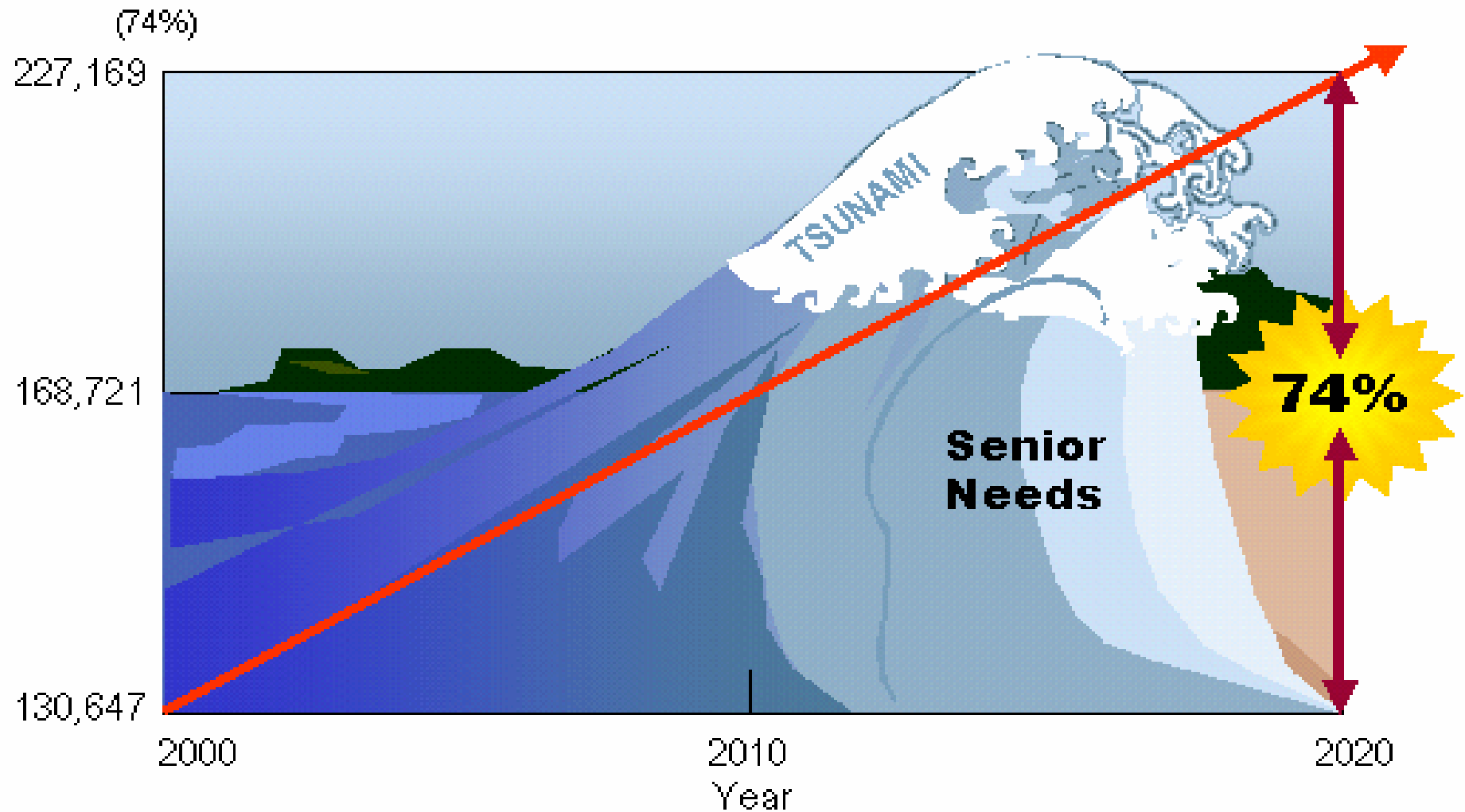
IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Make the most of each day.



“Catch the (Age) Wave!”

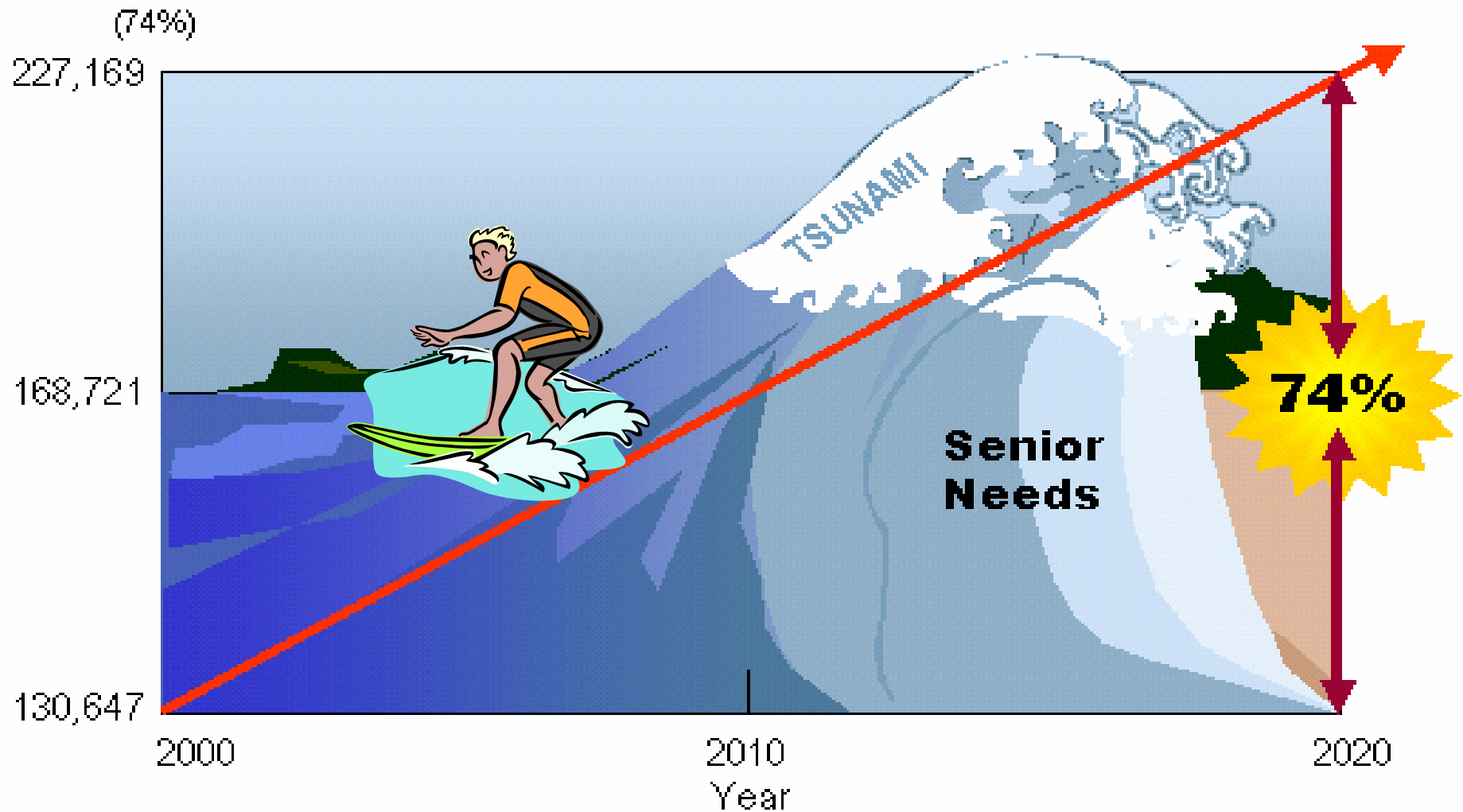
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County Executive Isiah Leggett's Senior Summit

November 20, 2008



- Civic and Social Engagement
- Communication and Outreach
- Employment
- Health and Wellness
- Home and Community Based Supports
- Housing and Zoning
- Safety
- Transportation

Essential Connections

To . . . a significant person

. . . . a group

. . . . information

. . . . a means of support

. . . . a meaningful role

. . . . a source of joy

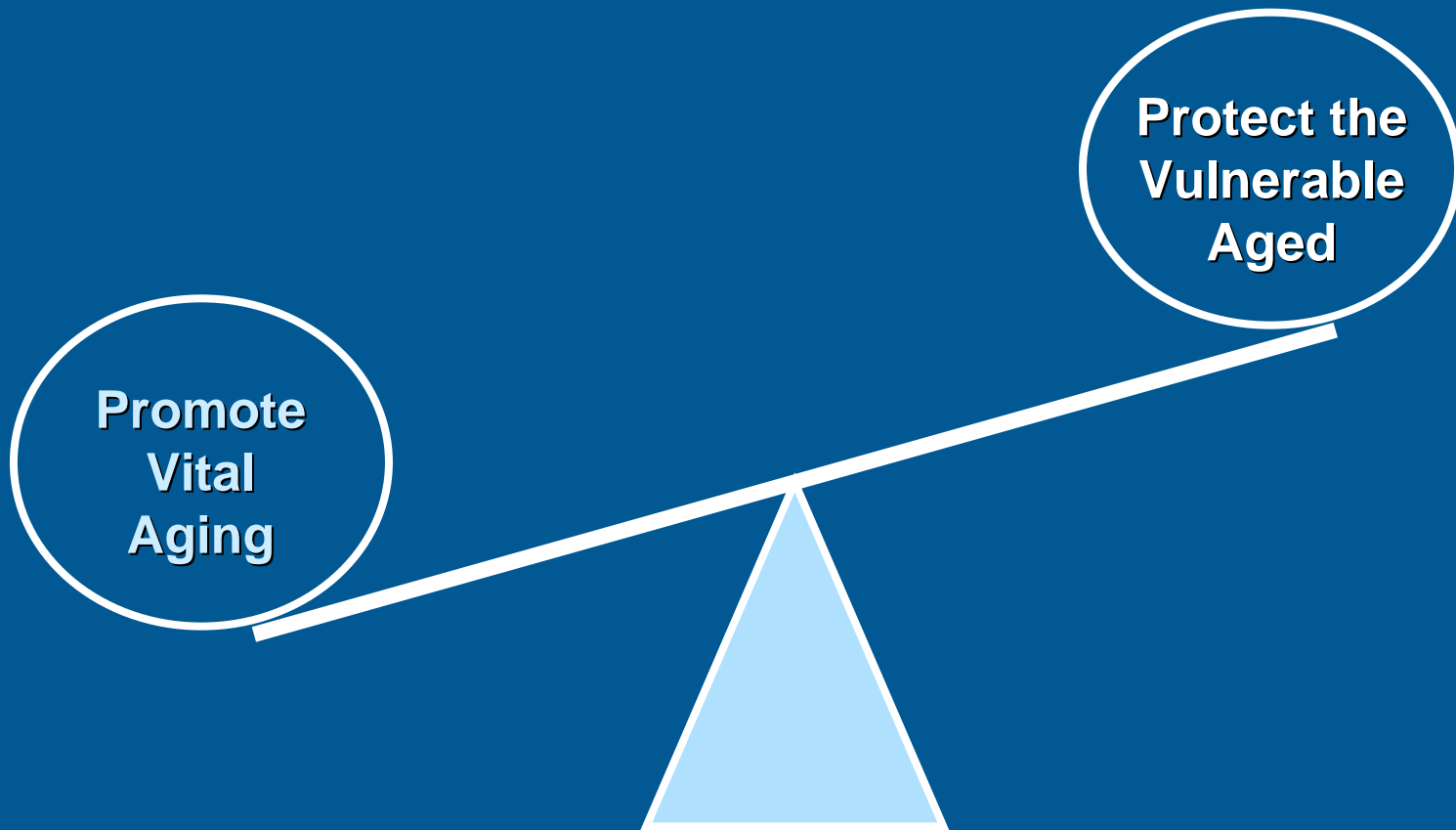
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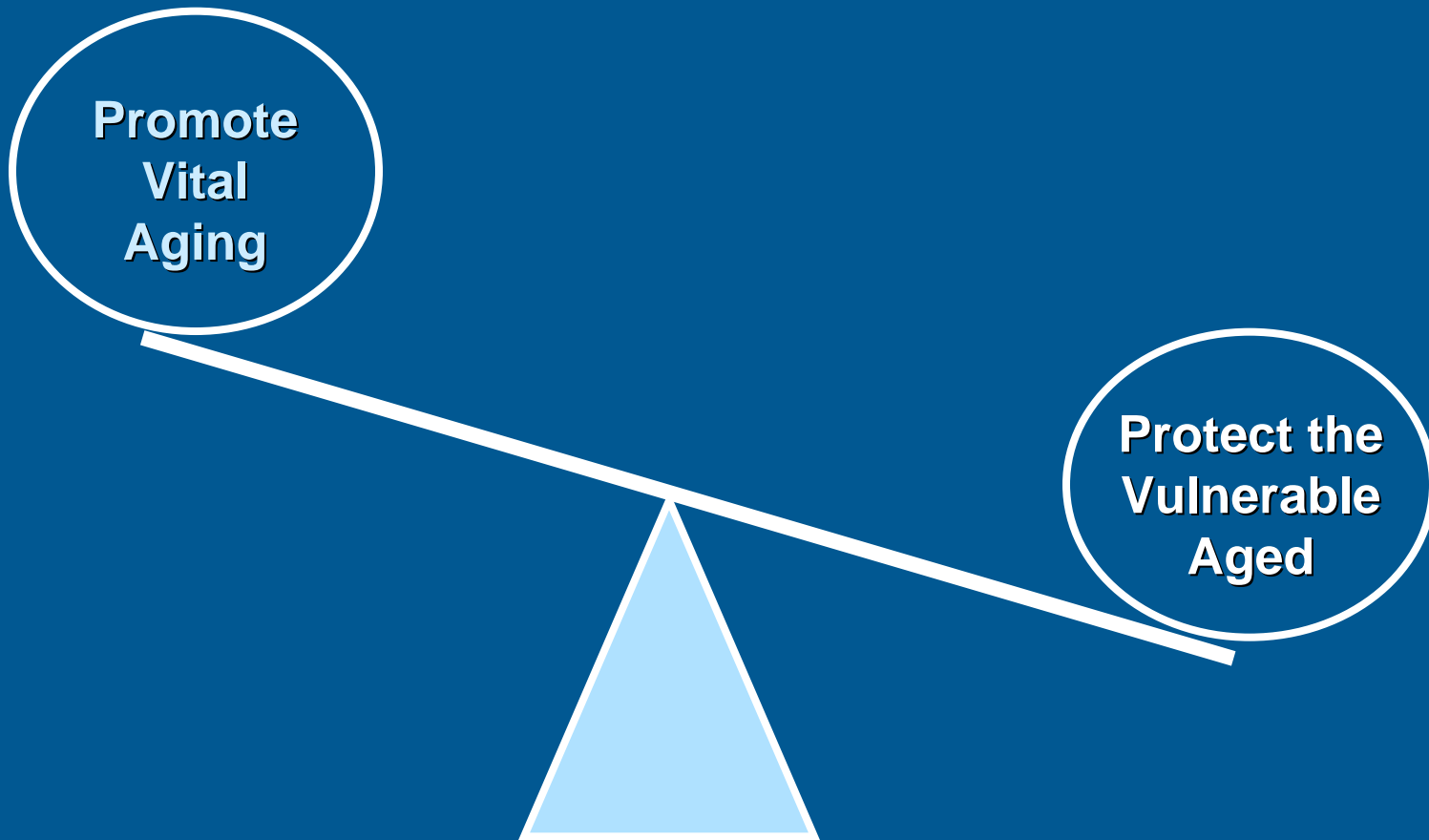
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(Hansell, 1992)

Balancing the Need to



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Aging in Place

Vital Aging

- Employment
- Civic Engagement
- Volunteerism
- Sports and Recreation
- Arts and Humanities
- Leisure Activities
- Life Long Learning

Villages
NORCS
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Case Management
Home Modification
Adaptive Equipment

Vulnerable Adults

- Home and Personal Care
- Respite Services
- Nutrition Services
- Paratransit
- Adult Day Services
- Assisted Living
- Skilled Nursing Facilities
- Medical Care
- Income Support Services